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(U-054)
U-070687

July 15, 1994

ANDREW ROBINSON
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Dear Mr. Robinson:

On May 24, 1993, a field compliance inspection was conducted on your mine plan, UTU-070687 (formerly UT-056-10P), which includes unpatented mining claims UMC 299085-299093, located in T. 14 S., R. 3 W., Section 11. The plan of operations was approved by our office on July 6, 1987, under the 43 CFR 3809 regulations for surface management.

This inspection verified that activities at the Nielson Sandstone Quarry are in compliance with Federal regulations as well as the mitigating measures specified in our approval letter for this plan of operations.

However, we have some concerns related to public safety and welfare. (1) Appropriate warning signs need to be posted in locations where public access to the operation is readily available. (2) The highwall should be bermed, fenced or barricaded. The present fence and berm are not continuous along the highwall and do not preclude public access to the highwall from land adjacent to the quarry. We also recommend the topsoil stockpile be clearly labeled to avoid inadvertent loss or removal.

These operational concerns were previously discussed in correspondence from the BLM to Ash Grove Cement Co., dated December 10, 1993. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please feel free to call Rody Cox at (801) 743-6811.

Sincerely,

Rex Rowley
Area Manager

cc: D. Wayne Hedberg, UDOGM